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1.	(SWN) SIGNIFICANCE: THE G-CLASS BALLISTIC MISSILE SUBMARINE (SSB) HAS RETURNED AND IS INVOLVED IN PROBABLE SUBMARINE- LAUNCHED BALLISTIC MISSILE (SLBM) TRANSFER OPERATIONS.	
2.	(SWN) REMARKS: THE G-CLASS SSB HAS RETURNED TO XIAOPING DAO SUBMARINE BASE SINCE AND IS INVOLVED IN PROBABLE SLBM TRANSFER OPERATIONS. ONE PROBABLE SLBM HANDLING/LOADING CANISTER ON A TRANSPORTER AND FOUR ELECTRONICS/CHECKOUT VAN TRUCKS ARE ON THE QUAY NEAR THE SLBM-ASSOCIATED CRANE. ONE ADDITIONAL VAN IS NEAR THE SSB, AND FIVE BUSES AND SEVERAL SMALL VEHICLES ARE ALSO PRESENT. A LARGE FLOATING CRANE IS POSITIONED OUTBOARD OF THE SSB. NO LOADING/UNLOADING OF THE SLBM IS OBSERVED; HOWEVER, THE AFT MISSILE TUBE DOOR ON THE SSB IS OPEN.	25X
	(SWN) THE G SSB WAS LAST AT XIAOPING DAO WAS THOUGHT TO HAVE POSSIBLY DEPARTED FOR THE FIRST AT-SEA LAUNCH OF A CSS-NX-3 SLBM. HOWEVER, NO MISSILE LAUNCH WAS DETECTED DURING ITS ABSENCE.	25X1
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